



## **Regulatory and Commenting Agency Permitting Roles in the Louisiana Coastal Zone April 29, 2010 Baton Rouge May 18, 2010 Lafayette**

The Office of Coastal Management is proud to announce the seminar titled "Regulatory and Commenting Agency Permitting Roles in the Louisiana Coastal Zone". This seminar will cover topics including a general overview of what OCM, DEQ and COE do as part of the Coastal Use Permitting process within the Coastal Zone of Louisiana, as well as the roles that the various commenting agencies (LDWF, NOAA, USFWS, EPA, etc.) hold in the permitting process. Currently two sessions are scheduled: April 29, 2010 in the LaBelle Room at DNR's LaSalle Building in Baton Rouge, LA (614 N Third Street) and May 18, 2010 in the Conference Room at NOAA's Estuarine Habitats and Coastal Fisheries Center in Lafayette, LA (646 Cajundome Blvd). The seminars are free but because space is limited we are requesting pre-registration. If demand for the seminars exceeds available space, additional seminars will be scheduled. Below is the agenda for both seminars. Please contact our office at [OCMinfo@la.gov](mailto:OCMinfo@la.gov) or Christine Charrier at 225-342-7953 to reserve your spot today.

### **AGENDA**

8:15 – 8:25	Introduction
8:25 – 9:15	LDNR/OCM Coastal Use Permitting
9:15 – 9:30	Local Coastal Programs
9:30 – 10:30	USCOE Regulatory Program and What It Means to You
10:30 – 10:45	Break
10:45 – 11:15	LDEQ Water Quality Certification Process
11:15 – 11:55	OCM Compensatory Mitigation Program
11:55 – 12:15	COE – RIBITS
12:15 – 1:30	Lunch on your own
1:30 – 2:10	LDWF Ecological Studies, LNHP Program, Oyster Seed Grounds, WMA's and Scenic Rivers

2:10 – 2:30	USFWS Wetland Regulatory Program: The Role of the USFWS
2:30 – 2:50	Break
2:50 – 3:30	NOAA Sections 10 and 404: NMFS Oversight, Concerns and Actions
3:30 – 3:50	EPA Role in CWA Section 404 Permitting
3:50 – 3:55	Closing Remarks